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FOR SALE by owner, 5 acres of good pineapple and truck land, less than two miles from post office. Good reasons for selling. Write or call on C. S. HALL, Box 117, Punta Gorda, Fla. 35-1f

FOR SALE—Good saddle and driving horse and a good rubber-tired buggy.—K. E. DOTY, Punta Gorda, Fla. 35-1f

FOR SALE—A double team of mules. If taken at once, price \$325.00. Now working on county roads at \$5.00 per day.—GEO. A. McLANE, Punta Gorda, Fla. 35-1f

FOR SALE—Very desirable corner location on Punta Gorda's beautiful bay front, magnificent view, two-story house, spacious grounds 70 x 100, an ideal spot for a winter home.—Apply to Senator F. M. Cooper or Dr. Burland, Punta Gorda, Fla. 35-1f

FOR RENT

FOR SALE—A full set of shoe repairing tools, sewing machine and standing jack included. Right size for any small town. Bargain to quick buyer.—A. J. KINSEL, Punta Gorda, Fla. 338-1f

TEN ACRES, house, barn, 1 mile from Punta Gorda, packing house and shipping, \$100 rent till July first.—Address 2232 W. 89 st. Cleveland, Ohio.—tjanl

FOR RENT—Six-room house at end of Olympia avenue, convenient and desirable location.—Apply to MRS. JOEL BISHOP, Punta Gorda, Florida. 35-31*

MISCELLANEOUS

EASY MONEY—On account of inconvenience in handling at long distance, owner resident in the west will sell bona fide note on citizen of this county, amount \$29.75, at \$10.00 discount. For particulars address Box "Y" care Punta Gorda Herald.—361f.

HAVE YOU ORDERED your tires?—J. S. JACKSON JR. 35-1f

IMPROVED REAL ESTATE—Town lots and cottages in Wauchula to exchange for improved property in Punta Gorda.—Address P.O. Box 2, Punta Gorda, Fla. 29-1f

NEW PIANO, never played, a fine instrument of standard make, to trade for real estate, city or suburban.—H. W. SMITH, Punta Gorda, Fla. 35-1f

VISITING CARDS—Visiting cards printed from appropriate type faces, linen or vellum finish, 25 for 50c, 50 for 75c, 100 for \$1.00.—THE HERALD.

WANTED

WANTED—Your orders for job printing. Commercial stationery our specialty. Work neatly and tastefully executed.—THE HERALD.

THIS grocery store believes in giving the public a fair deal. We have proved this many times. Just now, for instance, we are selling sugar, one of the most necessary of household staples, at figures that are very low considering conditions. We do not believe in jumping the prices of food-stuffs under this or that pretext. We don't think it pays to make the public "the goat." This store carries the finest line of groceries.

A. P. Hatch, Corner King Street and Marian Ave.

"An Ounce of PREVENTION IS WORTH A POUND OF CURE."

For That Reason You Will Find It WILL PAY YOU TO INSURE!

While Fire Insurance Can't Prevent the Home From Burning Down It is the Source Whence Comes the Means For the Building Of It Up!

BLOUNT BROTHERS.
Real Estate and Insurance. Smith Building, Taylor Street.

BANDITS GET \$6,000.

Officials of Bank at Homestead, Fla., Held Up.

While two confederates waited outside in an automobile two heavily armed men held up officials of the State Bank of Homestead, Fla., robbed the counters of \$6,000 and escaped in the direction of the Everglades.

According to the authorities the two robbers who entered the bank forced H. R. Pridden, vice-president, and E. Z. Crowley, cashier, to face the wall, with their hands high above their heads. As the men left the bank Pridden fired six shots after them.

Poses assisted by the Miami, Fla., police gave chase. A report that a racing car containing four women was seen ten miles west of Homestead gave rise to the belief that the robbers changed dress to confuse the police.

FOUGHT BANK BANDITS.

Two Officers Killed in the Florida Everglades.

Two posmen were killed and two injured in an encounter in the Everglades with four bandits sought for robbery of \$6,000 from the State Bank of Homestead, Fla. Reports reaching Miami said the bandits fired from ambush and then fled.

Members of the posse trailing the bank robbers near that section of the Everglades, 43 miles south of Miami, much of which is undrained, apparently were caught in a trap. Four shots were heard, followed quickly by another. Allen Anderson and William C. Anderson, members of the posse, fell dead, while Charles R. Williams received five buckshot wounds in his left side and arm, and William Anderson was shot through the thigh. Williams was said to be seriously injured.

Preparations are being made throughout Putnam county for the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America, which meets in Palatka on Nov. 21.

400 TYPEWRITERS

REMINGTON \$12. SMITH PREMIER \$12 Let Your Children Learn Typewriting at Home during Vacation. Instruction book FREE. Ask EMPIRE TYPE FOUNDRY, Buffalo, N. Y. t-nov-1

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Will be pleased to submit samples of the famous Georgia Marble, which is being recognized as pre-eminent in the construction of the world's greatest monuments.

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Agent Coggins Marble Co., Canton, Ga.
Punta Gorda, Florida.

PLAN TO MAKE TWO STATES OF FLORIDA

Question Discussed by Press and Public

PROPOSED DIVIDING LINES

No Formal Campaign Has Been Organized for State Division, but Sentiment Is Growing With Object in View, It Is Said.

A plan to divide Florida into two states, the southern half to be called by its present name, and the northern to be named Jefferson, in honor of Thomas Jefferson, is being seriously and widely discussed in private circles, and in the press of the state.

It is suggested that the state be divided by a line running along the twenty-ninth parallel or by a line coinciding with the course of the Suwannee river, 25 miles north of the twenty-ninth parallel. The proposed state of Jefferson on the north would contain approximately 27,000 square miles, an area a little larger than New Jersey, New Hampshire and Vermont combined. The rest of the state below the twenty-ninth parallel would include some 41,000 square miles, about the same as the area of Ohio and less than the area of Tennessee.

No formal campaign has been organized to create sentiment for the proposed division of the state, but it is believed such a movement is likely to be organized soon.

Mill Plant Burned.

Fire resulted in the complete destruction of Robinson Point Milling company, at Robinson Point. Two hundred thousand superficial feet of lumber, the mill plant itself, boiler and machine shops, planer, dry kiln and lumber sheds were totally destroyed.

Round About Florida

A Masonic temple costing \$75,000, is to be erected at New Smyrna.

A Birmingham company will manufacture a soft drink at Jacksonville.

St. Augustine now has a plumbing board, appointed to insure sanitary plumbing throughout the city.

A Jacksonville firm, manufacturing dry kilns, recently received an order from far-off Russia.

Several palatial homes are in course of erection on the east coast for wealthy winter visitors.

The handsome new Carnegie library at Ocala has been opened to the public.

The acreage in celery will be doubled over last year by the Davie growers.

Ten acres of muck land for a banana plantation have been purchased by Glen F. Bates, who recently moved to Ft. Lauderdale.

According to the opinion of Professor Dewey, government botanist, the sisal industry can be developed with great success in Dade county.

Jacksonville is after the 1917 convention of the National Grain Dealers' association, which meets in Baltimore this year.

The department of commerce announces that George C. Pickett, second assistant and keeper of the Pensacola light station, has resigned.

Many attractions have been secured for the West Florida fair at Marianna Nov. 7 to 11, inclusive, and according to President J. D. Smith a record attendance is expected.

Commencing Oct. 17, the Florida supreme court will conduct the next regular examination of applicants for admission to the bar of this state, at Tallahassee.

The South Florida Strawberry Growers' association, with headquarters at Groveland, has placed an order for a quarter of a million strawberry plants. The intention is to plant 30 acres this season.

Alvices received announced the death of P. C. Parker, well-known resident of St. Augustine, who died Saturday of paralysis of the heart. Mr. Parker was 70 years old, and came to Florida from Trenton, N. J.

Four thousand miles in a houseboat and launch in one year, nine months, is the record of F. A. Stiles, family and friends, who arrived in Miami from their former home in Mandan, N. D.

One of the steamship lines operating vessels between Jacksonville and southern seaports will put on larger steamers to accommodate the winter tourist travel, which is expected to be heavier than usual.

Miami wants to be the next encampment of the state organization of the United Confederate Veterans. The great packing plant being built at Jacksonville will be ready for final inspection on October 1.

During the past few days a number of changes have taken place in business circles in Leesburg. Three business houses have changed hands, a new business enterprise has opened up and a site has been secured for still another business.

Another shipbuilding concern is announced for Jacksonville, letters patent incorporating the same under the name of the South Atlantic Ship Building company having been granted. Well-known local business men are named as the incorporators.

FIGHT STARTS.

Government to Wage War on Pest in Florida.

Before Oct. 1, the government's fight on the Texas fever tick in Florida will begin, Dr. E. M. Nighbert, of the bureau of animal husbandry, having leased offices at Jacksonville, preparatory to moving headquarters from Atlanta. He will bring with him not less than ten government experts to lead the fight against the tick, and will have under his direction a force of not less than a hundred regularly employed men.

Dr. Nighbert plans to spend not less than three years in the Florida fight on the tick. It may take longer than three years to permanently and effectively rid Florida of this pest, but not less than that time.

Fell from Steamer; Drowns.

Falling from the deck of the fishing steamer Joseph H. Davis, on which he was employed, Fred Thomas, 40, drowned in the St. Johns river near the dock of the Weller Coal company, foot of Hogan street, Jacksonville. The body was taken from the water in about 40 minutes and the city pulmotor used, but without effect.

Asks Change of Charter.

Application to change its charter from a 50-year to a 99-year existence, and to raise the maximum amount of indebtedness or liability it may assume from \$500,000 to \$3,500,000, has been made by the Jacksonville Terminal company, which is to enter upon a \$2,000,000 expenditure to erect the new passenger station.

Jacksonville won the next convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers, in session at Providence, R. I. Long Branch, Minneapolis, Baltimore, San Antonio and other cities made strong fights for the gathering and the balloting was spirited. The date for the convention will be definitely announced later.

Jacksonville is becoming a great motion picture producing center.

Daytona will vote \$160,000 of bonds for improving streets.

West Palm Beach has just held an election for municipal officers.

A new passenger station is to be erected at Port Myers. The Spanish design of architecture will be used.

The University of Florida College of Agriculture will open for the 1916-17 session September 18.

By order of the town council Railroad is setting out shade trees on the principal streets.

D. W. Ramasseur, of this state has been named treasurer of the American Pharmaceutical Facilities.

Jacksonville's newest industry is a factory to make marmalade from choice Florida fruits, which has been moved from Tavares in Lake county.

Truckers report that there will be a greater acreage of vegetables in Dade county this fall and winter than ever before.

The prospect is said to be good for a new \$45,000 hotel for Fort Pierce. Fort Meade has plans on foot to organize a coast artillery company.

Gov. Park Trammell has appointed John W. DuBose justice of the peace for the Tenth district to succeed Geo. A. Stephens, who has retired from the office.

Long distance connections with New York City over the American Telephone and Telegraph company will soon be possible in Miami, wires having been strung into that city.

In spite of the fact that a majority of the troops are on the border, Secretary of War Baker announces that the rifle matches at Black Point range will be held on Oct. 20.

Much enthusiasm is being demonstrated throughout Jackson and surrounding counties over the West Florida fair, to be held in Marianna November 7.

The Florida Mutual Fire Insurance company, of Tampa, capitalized at \$500,000, began business under a charter issued under the recently enacted mutual insurance law of Florida.

By a vote of 210 for to 34 against, amounting to six to one, St. Cloud voted \$115,000 in bonds for waterworks and sewers. Voters at the same time voted a franchise to the Central Florida Interurban railway.

Preparations for the approaching Clay county fair are going forward and every indication points to a successful event. The officers are busy on the plans and farmers are getting their exhibits in shape.

With a view to having bigger and better poultry shows, Orlando, Deland, Live Oak and Jacksonville poultrymen and their respective associations are considering plans formulated at a meeting just held in Orlando.

Extensive work by the Southern Bell Telephone company at St. Augustine is in progress. The company will soon move the exchange from the city building to the Bishop's building on St. George street, and has quite a force making the desired changes in the new quarters.

Prof. C. J. McCoy, director of athletics in the University of Florida and coach of the football team, has reached the university and expects to begin active work on athletics for the season. Preliminary training for football games will be the first thing in order.

BUY LAND AND BUILD A HOME IN PUNTA GORDA

A city famous for its location on Charlotte Harbor at the mouth of Peace river. Largest Shaded Pineapple Farms in America. Fine Artesian Wells. Produces the most profitable winter vegetables for market. Perfect health, good schools and churches. Has fine sewer and water works systems, municipal electric lights and a large investment in other improvements. Seg-wall and fill entire distance of the city on water-front recently completed. Asphalt-paved streets, miles and miles of cement sidewalks. Now is the time to buy and build a home. I have for sale several hundred lots located both within the city limits and beyond. Will sell at reasonable prices. Terms \$10 cash and \$10 per month.

C. C. MORGAN,

Fort Ogden, - - - - - Florida

The contract has been let and will soon begin on Dade county's \$25,000 jail. Contractors are on the ground getting the excavation done as fast as possible and it is calculated they will have the building ready for occupancy by spring.

J. R. Lee is under arrest at Arcadia charged with shooting his father, T. J. Lee, through the back at Wauchula. Young Lee denies the shooting, but officers say there is enough circumstantial evidence to hold him for the grand jury.

The finishing touches preliminary to starting in full blast the new mines at Phosmico, just east of Bartow, were completed, and the new mines under the management of Capt. John G. Gottswalles and his crew of men are preparing to begin operations at once.

Contract for a modern bascule type bridge across the drainage canal at Davie has been awarded by the Broward county commissioners and work is expected to start at an early date. The bridge will cost about \$12,000 and will be the first of the kind to be built across any of the Everglades canals.

Arrangements have been made for the sale of 20,000 acres of land bordering on and adjacent to the course of the Tamiami Trail, the proceeds from which will go toward extending the Snapper creek canal to intersect the Miami-Marco road canal and such other drainage as will benefit the territory west and southwest of Miami.

St. Louis has a milk strike, but the humble kine still continue to chew the placid cud.

Deafness Can't Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation is taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh of the Eustachian Tube (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

J. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals on blank form furnished by the Board and addressed to the Board of County Commissioners of DeSoto County, Fla., at Arcadia Fla., will be received until 12 o'clock M., Oct. 18, 1916, for furnishing material, equipment, labor, and constructing in Charlotte Harbor Special Road and Bridge District of DeSoto County, across Charlotte Harbor between the towns of Charlotte Harbor and Punta Gorda, the following:

One reinforced Concrete Bridge approximately 4,700 feet long, complete with draw span having 60 foot clear opening, and 2,100 lineal feet of causeway. Bridge to be monolithic beam and slab structure supported on concrete piles, and causeway to be hydraulic fill protected by reinforced concrete sheet piling.

Bids on alternate design, according to specifications, will be accepted. Each bid is to be accompanied by a certified check, made payable to the Chairman of the Board, for at least Two Thousand Dollars.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the County Clerk at Arcadia, Fla., or the Engineers at Bartow, Fla., and Punta Gorda, Fla., and specifications can be obtained by writing the Engineers at Box 384, Bartow, Florida.

L. W. WHITEHURST, Chairman.
A. L. DURANCE, Clerk.
H. S. JAUDON ENGINEERING CO.
Savannah, Ga. Engineers, Bartow, Fla.

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